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Sir:

On September 17, 2003, a new Power of Attorney and Revocation of Former Powers was filed in the PTO. A copy of the new Power of Attorney is enclosed.

Apparently, the PTO has not revoked the former power and acknowledged the new Power of Attorney. Applicants have received a copy of the Notification of Defective Response dated March 15, 2004 addressed to the former attorney.

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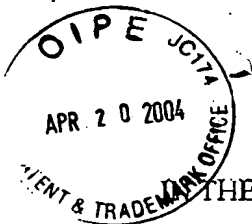
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Honorable Commissioner of Patents and Trademarks,

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Sir:

The owner of the entire right, title and interest in the above-identified application, Sagami Chemical Research Center and Protegene, Inc., by virtue of an Assignment recorded at Reel 013208, Frames 0762-0765 on August 20, 2002,

REVOCATION OF PRIOR POWERS OF ATTORNEY

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NEW POWER OF ATTORNEY

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